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RESPONSE

Dear Sir.

In response to the office action dated December 7, 2005, setting a 3-month shortened statutory period for a reply ending on March 7, 2006, the applicants submits the following responsive amendment in the above-identified application.

Also enclosed is the Request for Two-Month Extension of Time, thereby extending the end date of the current term to Monday, May 8, 2006, accompanied by the authorization to charge the fee of \$450.00 to Deposit Account No. 12-0400. No other fee is believed to be required, but, if this is not

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